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Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Leaves Baxter 1 p. m.; Keelville 3.30; Melrose 4; arrives at Chetopa at 6 o'clock p. m.



BAXTER No. 71
A. F. & A. M., Neesho street.
Meets the first and third Monday evenings of each month at 7.30. Visiting brethren fraternally invited.
H. A. C. PERKINS, W. M.
S. H. SMITH, Sec.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

NOTICE.—As the river is low and the ferry boat is laid up for repairs for the next few weeks we will devote our time to showing you our nice new dry goods, notions, boots, shoes, hats, caps and gloves. Respectfully,
D. B. PEAKE,
At A. M. Peake & Co's.

VINEGAR! VINEGAR!
If you want the finest white or claret vinegar call at
BREWSTER BROS. CASH GROCERY.

FOR SALE.—Half-circle double-acting Whitney Hay Press in good shape by
W. A. BRAMAN,
Neutral, Kan.

We have a nice line of trunks and valises which we will sell at cost for the next month. A. M. PEAKE & Co.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to J. West & Co. are requested to call at the city meat market immediately and make settlement.

We have received another invoice of the celebrated \$2 shoe.
A. M. PEAKE & Co.

ICE CREAM and MILK SHAKE at Ohlen's to-morrow.

Overalls and jeans pants the best and cheapest at A. M. Peake & Co's.

2 pounds roasted coffee for 45c at COOPER & HODGKINS.

Examine our \$2 shoe before buying.
A. M. PEAKE & Co.

Good package coffee 28c a lb. or 2 lbs. for 55c at Tyner's.

Have you seen the \$1.50 shoe for men and women at A. M. Peake & Co's.

T. W. Edwards' city dairy gives you 26 quarts of pure milk for \$1; sour milk 8c a gallon.

H. Ohlen will open up the ice cream season to-morrow.

Full cream cheese 15c a pound at COOPER & HODGKINS.

Go to W. E. Tyner's every time for the worth of your money in groceries.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!
Everybody wanting fine fashionable hats should call at Mrs. Stark's.

For fine No. 1 salt go to Cooper & Hodgkins', \$1.25 per barrel.

Go to Ohlen's to-morrow and get a dish or quart of delicious ice cream.

Pure, clean sweet milk delivered anywhere in the city at 26 quarts for \$1 by
T. W. EDWARDS.

WONDERFUL! WONDERFUL!
Those beautiful satteens at Mrs. Stark's store. No two dressess alike. Don't fail to see them.

Harvey has just received a job lot of carpet remnants 1 to 1½ yds. each. Now is your time to get a rug or crazy carpet.

COOPER & HODGKINS.
3½ pounds of nice, clean currants for 25 cents at COOPER & HODGKINS.

LADIES, ATTENTION!
Call and see the fine line of new hats, ribbons, flowers and laces just received.
Mrs. W. W. SMITH.

G. G. Gregg, the wholesale and retail druggist, will supply the trade with all the popular patent medicines of the day, drugs and chemicals, paints, oils, glass, druggists' sundries and everything belonging to a legitimate drug business, all at reasonable prices for first quality of goods. Prescriptions a specialty.

Memorial Day next Friday.

There will be an immense crop of blackberries this year.

The recent heavy rains have cut the strawberry crop short.

Attend the L. L. L. festival at Lowell next Tuesday evening.

Get out your flags and bunting for Memorial Day next Friday.

The Star-Courier says Baxter Springs will probably get the county fair this fall.

The M. E. Sunday school will convene next Sunday and from that on at 9:30 a. m.

Corn is coming up pretty well, but the weather this spring has been too cool for rapid growth.

On account of Memorial services to-morrow there will be no services at the Presbyterian church.

Strawberries are getting plentiful in market and the price, as well as the bottoms of the boxes, is going down gradually.

Take a drive over to Lowell next Tuesday evening and attend the L. L. L. strawberry festival. It will do you good and the costs will be light.

It is the opinion of several gentlemen that the mining leases secured by the Peoria Mining Co., mentioned in the News last week, upon lands in the Peoria reserve will not hold good.

At the recent quarterly examination for teachers' county certificates there were 108 applicants, 56 of whom failed to make the required standard. Seven secured second grade certificates and 45 third grade.

The meeting of the Quaker Valley Horticultural Society announced last week to occur on the 29th, has been postponed until Saturday, the 31st, at which time Dr. Newlon of Oswego will address the people.

From the crowds we see gathered at the Kentucky Stock Barn we judge the Scott brothers must be doing a booming business. We are glad to see our people improving along this line and hope it may continue until every barn yard is full of good horses.

As the great Santa Fe railway system has just been greatly augmented by the absorption or addition of the Frisco system it is now thought that the Missouri Pacific company will be more anxious than ever to have the Joplin and Chetopa link built this year.

The Lowell Literary League will give a strawberry and ice cream festival at the Lowell school house on Tuesday evening next. A short literary entertainment will be given and there will be music in the air during the evening. Admission free to everybody.

The Christian church people began Monday the erection of a new church building on the south side of River street and a half block east of Military. The building will be a plain frame 36x48 feet in size with vestibule and spire at the northwest corner. The foundation will be completed in a few days.

On account of the illness of our better half during the past four weeks and the removal of the C. W. Harvey printing outfit mentioned elsewhere from Quaker Valley to Baxter Springs this week we have been compelled to neglect the local and editorial work of the News for the time being, but will be O. K. soon.

The stewards of the M. E. church will give their annual strawberry and ice cream festival next Tuesday evening at Mrs. C. M. Polster's former store building. The rooms have been lately re-fitted and papered and everything is commodious and pleasant. Popular berries at popular prices. Everybody will come.

Star-Courier: The county commissioners were in extra session Monday to take into consideration the valuation of Sheridan, Lola, Crawford and Lowell townships. The trustees were here to give their reasons for the valuations being so much lower this year than last. One reports 100 horses fewer than last year, yet he is expected to have as high a valuation.

While Miss Effie Scott and Pearl Watson were taking a drive Thursday evening their horse became frightened at a drove of fat hogs on the street and began to kick and run throwing the little girls out and bruising them considerably. They gathered themselves up and walked home saying "We don't want any more buggy rides behind that horse." The frightened animal was caught after running a considerable distance, doing no damage to herself or the vehicle.

Salt \$1.15 per barrel, Bacon 8c, Coffee 25c, Lard 9c, Rolled Oats 7 lbs. for 25c, Coal Oil 15c per gallon at Baldwin's Alliance System Grocery.

Fourteen pounds light brown sugar for \$1 at W. E. Tyner's.

Milk shake every day at Ohlen's.

2000 yards Merrimack prints at 5c per yard; former price 7c, at Cooper's.

Any person wanting carpets or furniture will be well paid for their trouble by visiting the Popular Furniture Store of Cooper & Stough at Galena, Kan. Prices always the lowest.

HIDES! HIDES! HIDES!
Take your hides to J. A. Sour. He will pay you the highest market price.

Pure Iowa white clover candied honey, 15c a pound, 2 for 25c at BREWSTER'S GROCERY.

See Cooper's plow shoe for \$1. It knocks out anything in the county for the price.

Try Mokaska Baking Powder at J. M. Brewster's Cash Grocery and get a chance to draw a fine diamond ring.

See the nice line of women's and misses' russet slippers at Cooper's.

Mokaska coffee at W. E. Tyner's.

Just arrived—new spring goods of all descriptions at J. M. Cooper's.

JUST RECEIVED a fine line of canned fruits, fancy crackers, preserves, extracts, fancy soaps, etc., at BREWSTER'S GROCERY.

FOR SALE.—A horse, phaeton and harness. Inquire at the postoffice.

Don't fail to inspect our new goods now arriving. J. M. COOPER.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:
We will meet any prices made on goods in our line in this city or in any of the neighboring towns.
J. J. OSBORN, The Grocer.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

Still going at a great reduction in price to close it out at J. M. Cooper's.
Oranges and lemons 25c a dozen at W. E. TYNER'S.

CANDIES! CANDIES!
We carry a full stock of W. A. Mount & Co's. best candies.
J. J. OSBORN.

The largest and best assorted line of men's, women's, misses' and children's shoes to be found in the city at
J. M. COOPER'S.

Dried beef at Brewster Bros.

The celebrated Selz shoe at Cooper's has no equal in style and price. Try them and you will buy no other. Every pair warranted.

FOR SALE.—Five good fresh milk cows. Inquire of L. C. Wilbur at farm six miles west of Baxter on territory line.

Pure milk delivered in any part of the city.
W. H. COOLEY.

A new line of hats at Cooper's. Call and see them.

LADIES! LADIES!
See Mrs. W. Jones' new stock of millinery goods, gloves and trimmings before buying. Everything new and pretty and prices low.

Come and see our new stock of fancy candies.
BREWSTER BROS. CASH GROCERY.

Pure sweet milk 12 cents per gallon. Sour milk 6 cents per gallon.
W. H. COOLEY.

A full stock kip plow shoe at Cooper's for \$1.25.

Try Cooper & Hodgkins for the cheapest and best groceries in the city.

We desire to inform the people of Baxter Springs and vicinity that we carry in stock a complete line of carpets of all descriptions. All-wool ingrain 60c to 65c per yard, tapestry and body Brussels from 65c to \$1.10. It will pay you to come to Galena and inspect our goods before buying.
COOPER & STOUGH,
Galena, Kan.

REMEMBER we carry a full line of flour and feed, delivered to any part of the city.
BREWSTER BROS. CASH GROCERY.

Fine rye bread at Ohlen's.

CAPITO'S CITY BAKERY.
Fresh bread, cakes, pies, etc., every day. Lunch, cigars, tobacco, nuts and fruits in season.

BAKING POWDER—1 lb. 15c; ½ lb. 10c; ¼ lb. 5c at J. J. OSBORN'S.

We have a full stock of queensware cheap.
J. J. OSBORN.

ORANGES AND LEMONS
Fresh at W. E. TYNER'S.

Lunch or meals at Ohlen's.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Memorial services will be held at the M. E. church at 11 o'clock to-morrow conducted by Rev. A. R. Miller. All comrades and their families are requested to meet at the post room at 10:30 a. m. to form and attend these services. Let every comrade be present with his family and the widows or orphans of our dead comrades.

The members of Baxter Post, together with all ex-soldiers or sailors and their families, will meet at 1 p. m. sharp Friday, May 30, form and march to the Springs Park and after the services there will again form and move to the national cemetery to close the day by decorating the graves of our dead comrades and performing the accompanying services as laid down in the ritual of the G. A. R.

Following is the program of services of the day:

1. Music by the Melrose band.
2. Prayer by Rev. A. R. Miller.
3. Hymn by the Baxter Glee Club.
4. Reading of orders by adjutant.
5. Hymn by the Baxter Glee Club.
6. Oration by Comrade T. B. Haughton of Carthage, Mo.
7. Hymn by the Baxter Glee Club.
8. Benediction by Comrade Noble.
9. G. A. R. ritualistic services.
10. Placing of flowers by the sons and daughters of veterans.
11. Benediction.

PRESERVE THE FISHING.

It is almost an established and proven fact that some parties in this town have been using a large seine or trammel net in the river a short distance below the dam for some time. The consequence is that the fish are kept away from the dam and the hook and line fishing usually so much enjoyed by many of our home people as well as by hundreds of visitors during the summer season is quite done away with. This works a great injury to a large number of people and if this seining and netting of the fish, which is contrary to law, is not stopped the perpetrators will have reason to believe that others in this country have rights as well as they in this matter and that the laws must be obeyed. We would advise them to stop at once as the matter is assuming a desperate shape and trouble will surely result if they continue.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

In pursuance of general orders issued from department headquarters with reference to the annual observance of Memorial Day throughout the country, and in order that the tribute to be paid to the memory of our dead comrades may be made the more impressive, I hereby proclaim and request that all places of business in our city be closed on next Friday, May 30, from 10 o'clock a. m. until 4 p. m.

A. D. C. HARVEY,
Attest: M. H. GARDNER, Mayor.
City Clerk.

REMOVAL.

I will move into the Geo. W. Koontz room, formerly occupied by the Baxter Clothing House, on Monday, May 26, where you will find me with a complete stock of groceries and provisions at prices as low as the lowest for cash. Yours respectfully,
J. H. HUMPHREY.

The city library and reading room has secured contributions the past week from H. R. Crowell, Mrs. John Patterson and M. H. Gardner. Mr. Gardner will place the BAXTER SPRINGS NEWS in the reading room every week. The Kansas City papers have already been contributed. Anyone wishing home news or current news has only to visit the reading room to post himself. The average attendance so far has been 9. Saturday evening 18 visited the room and enjoyed a pleasant two hours among the books and magazines.

The picnic given by the Tennessee Prairie Alliance at the Rickner fort last Saturday was a grand and successful affair. After a splendid dinner, which was participated in by about 500 people, interesting addresses were delivered by J. F. McDowell and Mr. Gaither of Missouri, L. A. Borick and M. A. Householder of Columbus and others. Tennessee Prairie Alliance came in procession. Many not members of the alliance were present to hear the speeches in order to form a correct idea of the objects of the alliance movement.

At a meeting of directors of the Baxter Springs Butter and Cheese Association last Saturday R. H. Talbot tendered his resignation as superintendent to take effect to-day. A meeting will be held to-day to elect a superintendent and to attend to other necessary business matters. The factory is now receiving about 3500 pounds of milk per day and manufacturing cheese only.

Lunch or meals at Ohlen's.

WRIGHT-BAHR.

So long as life is life and love is love a wedding will be of special interest in any community whether in high life or among the lowly. One of the most brilliant weddings that has occurred in Baxter Springs society lately was that on Tuesday evening, May 20, at the First Presbyterian church, the parties being Miss Maggie Bahr and Richard Wright, both of this city.

At 8 o'clock the church was filled with guests who had but a few moments to look around and admire the tasty decorations before the soft strains of the familiar wedding march announced the approach of the bride and groom. First came the ushers, James Brewster and Edward Brown, followed by Mr. Richard Wright and sister Anna and Mr. Frank Bahr and sister Maggie, who passed slowly up the aisle and stood in the center of a beautiful vine-wreathed arch under a floral bell with lily tongue. Dr. Bramhall in front with his simple and impressive ceremony and the unusually large circle of relatives in the back ground made a picture long to be remembered.

The bride wore a lovely silk of the new shade goblin blue, with white sash and white lace around the arms, long white silk mitts, neck filled in with lace. The groom and groomsmen wore the usual suit of black, with white gloves. The bride's maid was dressed in white and looked very lovely. Everyone united in saying that altogether the bridal party was well worthy of admiration.

Again Baxter notes the union of two more of her high school boys and girls. A few years ago these two made their acquaintance at the school desks. As the years went on this friendship ripened into love and love into marriage. In this case time made all things "Wright."

An elegant collation was served after the ceremony at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tucker. The relatives of the bride and groom unite in saying all went merry as a marriage bell.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Westby of Leavenworth, Indiana, and Mrs. F. W. Felt of Kansas City, Kansas.

Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership heretofore existing between John West and J. C. Naylor under the firm name of J. West & Co. has this day been dissolved. J. West retiring. All accounts due said firm of J. West & Co. will be collected by the undersigned and all accounts due from the firm should be presented to him at once. The business will be continued at the old stand under the management of J. M. English.

Dated May 15, 1890.
J. C. NAYLOR.

The Bath House Open.

The Chalybeate springs bath house, which has been closed for some months, has just been overhauled and put into proper condition for service. It was re-opened to the public this morning and will be kept open every day from this date. Call and scrub up.

17 - 24 - 31.

By command of the Grand Oriental High Priest of the Ancient Order of Melchisedec the Captain of the Rangtoo Guard will call a special court martial to try two of our members for violating the by-laws and constitution of our sacred order: 1st, drunkenness. 2d, playing cards on the Sabbath or Lord's Day. 3rd, appearing on the streets in a state of intoxication.

SANACADAR, Scribe.
K. L. W., Treasurer.

BAKING POWDER FIVE CENTS A CAN AT W. E. TYNER'S.

A beautiful piece of music given away with every dollar's worth of goods at Brewster Bros. Cash Grocery.

L. C. Goodner will pay the highest market price for butcher's stock. Inquire at Drovers and Farmers bank.

Remember, I buy my goods for SPOT CASH and will sell you harness of every description cheaper than you can buy elsewhere, at the old reliable Pioneer Harness Shop of Cherokee county.
J. B. OFFERMAN.

Fresh garden seeds at W. E. Tyner's. Best corn, 3 cans for 25c, at J. J. Osborn's.

TRY BREWSTER BROS. CASH GROCERY FOR FIRST CLASS GOODS AT LOWEST PRICES.

SENECA MILLS FLOUR AT BREWSTER BROS. CASH GROCERY.

TEA! TEA! TEA! TEA!
The finest line in the city on which we defy competition in price.
J. J. OSBORN.